

## RAINSBORO.

August 10, 1896.

Mrs. J. S. Ruggles has been in poor health for several weeks.

John Pulliam, of Lynchburg, has been visiting his cousins, John and Craig McBride, during the past week.

T. M. Montgomery is confined to his home on account of a cancerous tumor on the face.

Joseph Waddell, of Summer county, Kansas, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Waverly Waddell, east of town.

James Washburn had a stroke of paralysis several days ago, which has rendered him helpless on the right side. No improvement up to this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ferneau are enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. Swisher and son Fred, of Columbus.

Isaac Kerns and wife and Mrs. James McNary visited William Upp and family, of Hoagland's last Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Mary Grice, of New Vienna, was the guest of her sister Mrs. D. N. McBride, a part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stultz, of Brushcreek, were called here last week by the serious illness of their brother-in-law, James Washburn.

J. C. Ferguson was chosen as township councilman at the Republican primary, last Saturday.

Wilson H. Rains and wife, of Chicago, were welcome visitors among relatives and others in this vicinity several days last week. Wilson's many friends rejoice in the prosperity that has come to him in the windy city.

Solomon Schammahorn and son William, of Iowa, are in this county for a visit of several weeks. They were guests of J. L. Gossett for a few days their arrival.

Misses Edith Phillips, of Jackson, and Cora Nutt, of Wellston, are guests of their cousin, N. R. Barrett, at Barrett's mills.

Your correspondent is in receipt of an invitation to attend the head reunion, at the Sulphur Spring, on the old Head farm, near Carmel, next Thursday.

Burch Hixson, Carey Clyborn, Dode Thoroman and Harvey McCoy returned from the Adams county Mineral Spring's last Friday night.

Miss Sarah Snowden returned to her home at Wilmington, today, after a pleasant visit with her friend, Miss Bessie George. Miss George accompanied her and will remain in Wilmington till after the Friend's yearly meeting.

An interesting free for all discussion on the subject of noxious weeds was participated in by a number of leading farmers at the Farmers' Institute meeting, last Saturday.

The personal estate of Miss Anna Ferguson will be appraised today by Z. C. Miller, J. I. Taggart and Dr. J. A. Mercer, and that of the estate of Thomas Beavers will be appraised next Thursday, by Frank Lucas, Jacob Upp and J. A. W. Spargur. Thos. M. Ferguson is the administrator of the former estate, and J. I. Taggart, executor of the latter.

Miss Jessie Ferneau left today for an extended visit among friends at Columbus.

Homer Harper, of Berryville, well known here as a clever gentleman and successful school teacher, has secured a position as watchman at the reform school, near Lancaster.

Miss Florence Millikan, of Washington city, is visiting the families of John Redkey and J. B. Gossett.

Miss Ruth Britton spent the Sabbath with friends at New Petersburg.

Mrs. Alonzo Upp has been seriously ill with neuralgia of the stomach, since Sunday morning.

The Rathbone Sisters installed the following officers at their meeting last Saturday: Miss Mattie Pepple, M. E. C.; Mrs. Donnie Williams, M. E. S.; Miss Birdie McMullen, J. of T.; Mrs. Emma Bashore, M. of T.; Mrs. Emma West, P. of T.; Mrs. Cora Davis, O. G.

## BELL.

Aug. 10, 1896.

Miss Nannie and Mable McMeekin are spending a few days with their cousin, Normal McMeekin, of Hillsboro.

Miss Ollie Saylor returned last week after a five weeks visit at Peebles and West Union.

Miss Ethel Murphy, of Liberty, Ind., is visiting her cousin, Miss Cora Garrett.

The Belfast campmeeting will be held from the 2d to 13th of September, under the supervision of Miss Mary Dennis, the traveling evangelist of Indianapolis, and others.

Mrs. Henry Webster is visiting friends at Lexington.

A lecture will be given in the Presbyterian Church, Thursday evening, August 13th, by Miss Clara Barrette. Subject, "The Effects of Narcotics upon the Human System." Given under the auspices of the W. O. T. U.

Dan Satterfield and Lou Tori, of Lexington, spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noble Satterfield.

Miss Grace Glasgow, of Winchester, is the guest of Dr. Glasgow.

George Siders and family, of London, spent Sunday with his parents here.

Oliver Ford and wife, of Millersville, are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. James Siders, who is down with a cold.

## In Memoriam.

Myra, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cary Holladay, died July 21, 1896, aged 26 years. She was of a bright, sweet disposition, and always brought gladness wherever she went. She had a cheerful, happy home, loving parents and bright prospects for the future.

Truly, "death loves a shining mark." We can scarcely realize that Myra has left us. For five months she was a patient sufferer with consumption. Yet, she always met her friends with a bright smile. Myra united with the Presbyterian Church, twelve years ago, and ever since has been a true and active Christian, and was a member of the Christian Endeavor Society, at Mowrytown.

We, who heard her words of confidence and trust in Jesus, know that for her it was going home. She would look up with a bright smile and say, "I will soon be at home with Jesus and the angels." And, to her loved ones she would say, "I will watch for you to come where there will be no more parting."

As we gathered around the beautiful white casket strewn with flowers, gifts from loving hearts, how appropriate the hymn that was sung by the Christian Endeavor Society of which she was a member: "It is well with my soul."

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Dr. McSurely and Rev. Mr. Galbreath, of Sardinia, after which her remains were laid to rest in the beautiful cemetery at Hillsboro.

Alas, how changed that lovely flower That bloomed and cheered our hearts! Fair, fleeting comforts of an hour, How soon we are called to part.

A FRIEND.

## Mrs. Letha B. Duncan.

Letha B. Ayres, daughter of John and Martha Ayres, was born September 16, 1876; was converted and joined the Friends Church at the age of fifteen; was united in marriage with L. D. Duncan, September 29, 1892, and entered into the "rest that remaineth to the people of God," a victim of typhoid fever, August 2, 1896, leaving to her devoted husband and two little cherub sons, her mother and sister, the rich legacy of a heroically self-sacrificing life, full of virtue, purity and love. She bore her suffering with characteristic fortitude, and lovingly, mother like, planned for her darlings to the last. May the mantle of her love, peace and joy in the Holy Ghost fall upon her husband and little sons.

"Death our dearest ties can sever, Take our loved ones from our side, Bear them from our homes forever, O'er the cold, dark river's tide, In that happy land, we'll meet them, With those loved ones gone before; And again with joy we'll greet them, There, where parting is no more."

Mrs. D. C. ARTHUR.

## BUDFORD.

Aug. 10, 1896.

Mrs. Maggie Cadwalder, of Danville, was buried at this place, yesterday.

S. S. Moler and wife were at Sardinia, Sunday.

Born, to E. A. Martin and wife a girl, August 6.

Born, to Lewis Moch and wife, a boy, August 9.

Married—Lewis Weber and Miss Stella Moon, both of this place.

Married—Birch Brown and Miss Cora Riggs, same date, both of this place.

Several from this place attended the races at Sardinia, Saturday and a few went to the celebration at Hollowtown.

Rev. Moore will preach at the Christian church at this place on Sunday, morning and evening.

William Weber's fine horse took sick and died at the Chillicothe fair last week.

George Riding is very sick with typhoid fever.

Arthur Ridings' gray horse won the race at Sardinia. Purse \$3.

Clay township vs Sardinia special district will try their case next Wednesday. Clay township claims \$80 due them for schooling Sardinia's pupils.

A few persons will meet to-night to organize a band. But, we fear for her backbone, though we wish them success.

## SHACKELTON.

August 10, 1896.

Harry Robinson, of Cincinnati, is spending his vacation with his parents, here.

Miss Nellie Charles had as her guest, the latter of last week, Miss Cora Crispman, of Fall Creek.

Herman Dick spent Saturday night and Sunday at P. W. Charles'.

C. H. Trop and daughter Rosa spent Sunday near Samantha.

Preaching at Mt. Zion next Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock.

Charles Lemon, wife and daughter Leon, of Hillsboro, were Sunday guests at S. Shackleton's.

Charlie Roush is quite poorly with heart trouble.

Thomas J. Clay, a grandson of the great Commoner, has joined Gideon's band. He says:

"Heretofore I have been a Democrat and always voted the straight ticket, but now I am free to confess that I am a strong McKinley Republican. I think McKinley is the only thing that will save our beloved country from national disgrace and dishonor and from financial ruin. McKinley, sound money and high tariff should be the watchword of all true and patriotic Americans; they are now the three essentials for national prosperity."

## Cures Talk

"Cures talk" in favor of Hood's Sarsaparilla, as for no other medicine. Its great cures recorded in truthful, convincing language of grateful men and women, constitute its most effective advertising. Many of these cures are marvelous. They have won the confidence of the people; have given Hood's Sarsaparilla the largest sales in the world, and have made necessary for its manufacture the greatest laboratory on earth. Hood's Sarsaparilla is known by the cures it has made—cures of scrofula, salt rheum and eczema, cures of rheumatism, neuralgia and weak nerves, cures of dyspepsia, liver troubles, catarrh—cures which prove

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Hood's Pills cure liver ills; easy to take, easy to operate. 50c.

## Resolutions of Respect.

The following resolutions were offered by the ladies of the W. R. O. on the death of Margaret Barrere:

WHEREAS, It has pleased our Heavenly Father to call from among us our dear sister, Margaret Barrere, we bow in submission saying "Thou hast taken but thine own."

Resolved—As a band of sisters and Christian workers, we know, loved and appreciated her as a firm, true, devoted woman. Her beautiful life shall ever be an inspiration to us. As a counsellor she was ever ready to advise and assist us in our work of love. We mourn that our band has again been broken, that a life so full of noble work, self sacrifice, and sisterly devotion should close so soon, we know not why. But the memory of it shall be as sweet perfume, lingering with us as the years go by.

As we lingered with our offering, Came a voice as from the sky: In your home, your Father's mansion, You shall know the reason why.

SARAH R. LOWMAN,  
JESSIE M. HILLING,  
CLARA B. STEVENSON.

## LYNCHBURG.

August 10, 1896.

Mrs. George Keesinger and daughter, Minnie went to Petesky, Michigan, Monday morning.

Geo. Stoutner, of Sardinia, is visiting relatives here.

Lynchburg's second nine was defeated at Georgetown, Tuesday, by a score of 8 to 6. Thursday on the home grounds, they won a ten inning game from Danville, score 9 to 8.

Mrs. J. L. Orebaugh and son, Urban, are visiting at Washington C. H.

The efforts of the Lutherans to establish a church at this place are meeting with much encouragement on all sides. Several hundred dollars have been subscribed toward building a church, and from the interest taken in it, it seems that the church will surely be built.

Mrs. Frank Lacy is entertaining her niece, Miss Hauric, from Kansas.

A large number of our sportively inclined people attended a base ball game at Blanchester, Sunday.

J. J. Parker made an assault on att'y John Orebaugh Tuesday evening, for which Mayor Wiggins assessed him \$25 and costs. The assault was brought about by Orebaugh's being employed by Harriet Kellis to bring a damage suit against Parker.

Lynchburg experienced a small cloud burst shortly after noon, Thursday. It was the heaviest rainfall that was ever known here in the same length of time. The pavements and street crossings were submerged and several traveling men and others who went to the first afternoon train, were compelled to wade in water from six to eighteen inches deep in order to reach the depot. At Dr. Srofe's residence, on north Broadway, the water rose almost to the top of an ordinary picket fence, almost ruining the Dr's fine garden. At Hugh Murphy's residence, on south Main street the water completely surrounded the house to the depth of eighteen inches.

John Ludwick, of Allensburg, was arrested Tuesday morning by officers Bashire and Hamontree on a charge of bastardy placed against him by Mattie Carpenter, residing near the same place.

Godfrey Minsler had his left arm badly injured at the distillery, Monday afternoon. He was helping to place the rollers in the milling department in position, when he slipped and fell a distance of about two feet, cutting and bruising a gash in the fleshy part of his arm that required several stitches to sew it up. Dr. Duval dressed his wound.

The Lynchburg Exchange Bank and the Farmers and Traders Bank have consolidated under the name of the Farmers' Exchange Bank. Both banks will continue separate for a short time, in order to close up their accounts. Officers of the new bank have not been elected any further than the cashier, as both the present employees will be retained in the new concern.

## Now Is the Time

To plan for sowing crimson clover seed. We keep it in stock at all times as well as all other kinds of grain seed.

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## DISSOLUTION.

The partnership heretofore existing between S. H. Spencer and J. B. Spencer, known as Spencer Bros., will be dissolved September 1st by mutual consent.

The business will be continued in Hillsboro by J. B. Spencer & Co., who are authorized to collect all accounts and pay all debts of the firm of Spencer Bros. S. H. Spencer will continue in the Dry Goods business at Leesburg, Ohio.

With thanks for past very liberal patronage each bespeaks for the other a continuance of the same in their respective locations.

S. H. Spencer.  
J. B. Spencer.

## PRICETOWN.

August 10, 1896.

N. S. Landess and wife are entertaining Miss Nora Coffman, of Hillsboro.

Grandma Malcom is visiting her son, Isaac, of Belfast.

Orland Gossett and wife were Sunday visitors at George Pulliam's.

Dr. Surber, of Mt. Oreb, was a business visitor at our place, a few days ago. Alex. Chaney, who has been attending school at Lebanon, is at home for the summer.

Talk about your life-long Democrat bolting the Democrat ticket. Lafayette Faris received a letter a few days ago from Jacob Baker, of Farmington, W. Va., who is 104 years old. Mr. Baker cast his first vote for Monroe in 1816, and has voted the Democratic ticket ever since. But, like many other Democrats, he will leave the party of his youth and vote for McKinley.

'Squire Chaney and family were calling on Mr. Chaney's daughter, Mrs. Ruth Mont, of Sinking Spring.

Mrs. Jennie Knight and two daughters, of South Dakota, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Faris.

The hardest rain that has visited this place for many years fell last Thursday evening. In a very short time White-oak Creek was on a boom, doing much damage to fences, corn fields, etc.

## SAMANTHA.

August 10, 1896.

Quite a number of our people attended the camp meeting at Sabina last week and Sabbath.

Mrs. H. S. Vance, son and daughter, of Aberdeen, Mrs. Bessie Hampton (nee Sanders) and Mrs. H. H. Sanders and daughter, Miss Pearl, of Richmond, Ind., are spending a few weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Ridgway.

Rev. Sentman, pastor of the M. E. Church here, will deliver at the church his lecture on the Catacombs and the Progress of Christianity next Saturday evening, at 8 o'clock. All are requested to attend. Admission 10 cents. Worth 50 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. James Y. Patton and Mr. and Mrs. David Brock, of Fall Creek, are spending this week at the Adams County Mineral Springs.

A lawn social will be given by "The Busy Bees" next Friday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Boatman.

Ice cream, watermelon, lemonade, cake, etc., of the best, and in the best style will be served. All are invited and guaranteed a good time. Keep next Friday evening and the social in your minds and do not fail to come.

Mrs. J. N. Morrow, of Fall Creek, has been sick for some weeks.

Mr. John Sanders is on the sick list.

Rev. Mont. Milliner preached at the Friends Church, in this place, last Sabbath morning, and Rev. Thomas Hiatt in the evening.

## DODSONVILLE.

August 10, 1896.

H. S. Pulse and wife, of Lynchburg, visited his parents here, last Sunday.

Newton Dunsith and Miss Flora Tedrick were married, last Saturday evening, by Rev. Wilson, of Lynchburg.

Our Sunday Schools here will give a grand celebration August 23d. Come everybody, and have a good time.

Miss Eva Pulse attended the commencement of the N. N. U., at Lebanon, last week.

Isiah Sheffer and family, of Fayetteville, visited friends here, Sunday.

Mr. W. S. Pulse, who started in to take the classic course at the N. N. U. at Lebanon, last fall, and was compelled to stop on account of his eyes, received the degree of B. A. last Friday night at the commencement of the N. N. U. He having had the work at other schools.

O. E. Duval and family visited friends at Harwood, last Sunday.

Quite a number from here attended children's meeting at Webersburg, last Sunday night.

## Notices.

Persons having claims to file against First National Bank should call on E. E. Chaney in the McKinley Building.



CHAS. CONARD.



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Tornadoes!  
Hurricanes!

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## Pianos and Organs

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We also carry a full line of small musical instruments and strings. Inspection invited. Catalogue free.

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## Administratrix's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Lewis Ambrose, late of Highland county, Ohio, deceased. HARRIETT AMBROS, July 30, 1896.

## CENTERFIELD.

August 10, 1896.

Dr. Will Littler, of Hillsboro, was a caller at his home here, today.

Measrs. Chas. Evans and George Miller were the guests of Misses Laura Buntain and Hattie Irwin, of near Greenfield, last Sunday and Monday.

Ellsworth Abbott's small child has been very sick.

There will be a Sunday School picnic here, in Harvey Littler's grove, next Saturday. Good music and speaking will be the order of the day. Dinner and refreshments on the ground. Come one, come all.

This community was terribly shocked last Thursday by the sudden death of Mrs. Rus. Hughey. She took sick in the morning and died the same evening. She leaves a husband and one little daughter, who have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad bereavement.

Harry Wilson and Quincy Adams, of Sharpsburg, were the guests of Misses Maud Babb and Ella Crispin last Sunday and Monday.

Charles Cox, of Harriett, P. O., passed through here this morning, en route from Hardin's Creek, where he had been visiting prospective friends.

## DODSONVILLE.

August 10, 1896.

There will be a Sabbath School celebration at Dodsonville August 22, '96, in Teboe's grove. The privilege of the ground to be sold Friday, August 14, at Dodsonville, at 1 p.m.

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## Executor's Notice of Appointment.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Executor of the will of Thomas Siders, late of Highland county, Ohio, deceased. J. I. SACKLEY, Executor. Aug. 7, 1896. Sackley & Sackley, Attorneys.

The Sagers reunion will be held on Saturday, August 23, at usual place. R.